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News Release

'PAPER MADONNAS' TO BE FEATURED IN UD MARIAN LIBRARY ART EXHIBIT

DAYTON, Ohio, April 11, 1990--An exhibit of serigraphs by New Mexico artist Dan Paulos will open at the University of Dayton Marian Library on Wednesday, April 18. Admission to the "Paper Madonnas" exhibit, which will continue through May 31, is free and open to the public.

The Marian Library is located on the seventh floor of the Roesch Library on campus. Exhibit hours are 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. weekdays.

Paulos, who works primarily in the intricate and meticulous medium of papercutting, concentrates on Catholic devotional art. "Most secular artists draw for the pleasure of the people," Paulos said. "We religious artists create for the glory of God."

The Paulos serigraphs, or original prints of his papercuttings, on exhibit at UD honor Mary, the Mother of God. Sixty of his papercuttings are featured in a book titled He's Put the Whole World in Her Hands that pairs quotations by Mother Teresa of Calcutta with his art.

Paulos originals are included in collections and museums in the United States, Canada, England, Ireland, Chile, El Salvador, Uruguay, Germany, France, Italy, Spain and Japan.

The Marian Library at UD contains the world's largest and most comprehensive collection of printed materials on Mary. The library now holds more than 78,000 books and pamphlets in approximately 50 languages, ranging from the 15th century to the present.